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The Honorable Charles L. Schultze  
Director, Bureau of the Budget  
Washington, D. C. 20503

Dear Charlie:

In a memorandum dated 3 October 1967, Mr. Herbert N. Jasper, acting for your Assistant Director for Legislative Reference, requested our views on S. 1035 as passed by the Senate on September 13, 1967. Congressman Mahon, Chairman of the CIA Subcommittee on Appropriations, had earlier requested my views, and I enclose a copy of my letter to him on this subject.

I should like to urge you to interest yourself personally in this matter. I feel very strongly that, if this or some similar bill is to become law, it is in the national interest that the Central Intelligence Agency as well as other departments and agencies handling highly sensitive information of vital interest to the national security be exempted.

I would be very pleased to provide further briefings to you or members of your staff in order to promote a better understanding of the very serious problems with which we would be confronted.

Sincerely,

/s/ Richard Helms

Richard Helms  
Director

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LEGISLATIVE REFERRAL MEMORANDUM

TO: Legislative Liaison Officer

Department of Defense

Department of State

Department of the Treasury

✓ Central Intelligence Agency

SUBJECT: S. 1035, "To protect the civilian employees of the executive branch of the United States Government in the enjoyment of their constitutional rights and to prevent unwarranted governmental invasions of their privacy," as passed the Senate September 13, 1967.

The Bureau of the Budget would appreciate receiving the views of your agency on this subject before advising on its relationship to the program of the President.

(X) In order to permit expeditious coordination and clearance in accordance with Circular A-19, it is requested that your reply be made within thirty (30) days.

( ) Special circumstances require that this be handled as a priority matter and that your views be received

Questions should be referred to Miss Hilda Schreiber Bureau of the Budget, code 128, extension 4650 .

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*Herbert N. Jasper*

Herbert N. Jasper, for  
Assistant Director for  
Legislative Reference

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